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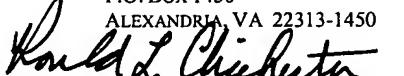
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed March 4, 2005, Applicants respectfully submit the following remarks and amendments set forth below and request favorable action thereon. The amendments are formatted and presented in accordance with the Revised Format for Amendments promulgated earlier in 2003 by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office.

As the three-month shortened statutory period for reply is due Saturday, June 4, 2005, and this Response is being filed on the next business day, this Response is considered timely filed.

AMENDMENTS

Amendments to the Specification are reflected in the "Amendments to the Specification" which begins on page 3 of this Response.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the "Pending Claims and Status Thereof" which begins on page 4 of this Response.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this Response.